IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Waltherus W. Van Den Hoogenhof Examiner: Paul Sang Hwa Hyun

Application No. 10/658,249 Art Unit: 1743

Filed: September 8, 2003

For: SAMPLE CONTAINER, MEASURING DEVICE AND METHOD FOR X-RAY

ANALYSIS OF LIQUIDS

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 30, 2006, please amend and the abovecaptioned application as set for below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.